taken the benefit of duty free imports for replenishment of exports resulting in grant of Customs duty concession worth Rs. 2000/- crores to them;

(b) if so, what steps have been taken by Government to recover the duty concession granted to fraudulent importers/exporters against export obligation;

(c) whether liberalised policy and procedure and neglect of export obligation work by the high officials have further increased the number of unscrupulous exporters under export obligation scheme;

(d) if so, what steps Government have taken to review the liberalisation of policy;

(e) whether Government propose to set up an independent enquiry to enquire into the neglect of export obligation work and to find a way out for immediate recovery of duty concession granted to unscrupulous exporters and check further liberalisation policy and procedure; and

(f) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI ARANGIL SREEDHARAN): (a) Yes, Sir. Exporters are allowed benefit of duty-free imports by way of replenishment, after fulfilment of export obligation.

(b) Appropriate steps to recover customs duty alongwith interest thereon are being taken by Customs Authorities, in cases involving misutilisation of duty-free materials.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) Does not arise.

(e) There is no such proposal. Existing provisions are adequate to deal with the unscrupulous exporters.

(f) Does not arise.

**Dispensation of quick and cheaper justice to poor and down-trodden SC and ST.**

1931. SHRI SURENDRA SINGH THAKUR: Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to State:

(a) whether Government have any plan to provide quick and cheap justice to poor and down-trodden with special reference to the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes people;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof;

(c) if the answer to part (a) above be in the negative in what manner Government propose to provide free, fair and quick justice to such persons.

(d) whether Government would also consider to amend the legal procedure and relevant statutes to cut the cost and delay in the dispensation of justice to all concerned; and

(e) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STEEL AND MINES WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTRY OF LAW AND JUSTICE (SHRI DINESH GOSWAMI): (a) and (b) The Government have recently enacted the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989 which *inter-alia* is intended to prevent the Commission of offence of atrocities against the members of the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes. The Act also provides for setting up of Special Courts for speedy trial of offences under the Act. Besides increasing the Judge strength of High Courts various steps like grouping of cases involving common questions of law constitution of special benches, have been taken by the High Courts for speedy disposal of all types of cases.

(c) Does not arise.

(d) and (e) Yes, Sir. The Government have constituted a Committee of three Chief Justices of High Courts

in January 1989 to make an indepth study of problem of arrears in the Courts and to suggest remedial measures.

**निर्यात प्रसंस्करण क्षेत्रों का पुनर्गठन**

1932. **श्री बलराम सिंह यादव :**
**श्रीमती कैलाशपति :**

क्या वाणिज्य मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या सरकार का ध्यान 27 जुलाई, 1990 के "हिन्दू" में "एक्सपोर्ट प्रोसेसिंग जोन्स टू बी रिस्ट्रेक्चर्ड" शीर्षक से प्रकाशित समाचार की ओर आकर्षित किया गया है; और

(ख) यदि हां, तो इस संबंध में ब्यौरा क्या है ?

**वाणिज्य मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री अरुण सिंह श्रीधरन) :** (क) जी, हां।

(ख) निर्यात संसाधन क्षेत्रों की योजना दोबारा बनाने के लिए कदम उठाये जा रहे हैं ताकि इन जोनों से निर्यात को और अधिक प्रोत्साहन देने हेतु प्रोत्साहनों में सुधार लाया जा सके और नियमों तथा प्रक्रिया को सरल बनाया जा सके।

1933. [*Transferred to 7th September*, 1990.]

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## PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

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[The Deputy Chairman in the Chair]

SHRI GURUDAS DAS GUPTA (West Bengal): Madam, I want to make a submission.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Yes, yes, but let me have my submission first.

**श्री राम अवधेश सिंह** (बिहार) : उपसभापति महोदया,...**(व्यवधान)**... कॉलिंग अटेंशन ..**(व्यवधान)** ..

**उपसभापति :** कॉलिंग अटेंशन के बारे में चेयरमैन साहब से बोलिए, बिजनेस एडवाइजरी कमेटी में बोलिए, हाउस में न बोलिए। इस माध्यम का गलत इस्तेमाल हो रहा है। ..**(व्यवधान)** ..

**श्री राम अवधेश सिंह :** इस तरह .. **(व्यवधान)** .. समस्या का समाधान नहीं होगा। पिछली सरकार से लेकर अब तक ...**(व्यवधान)** ...

**Report and Accounts (1988-89) of the Federation of Indian Export Organisations, New Delhi and related papers**

THE MINISTER OF COMMERCE AND TOURISM (SHRI ARUN KUMAR NEHRU): Madam, I lay on the Table a copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers:—

(i) Twenty-fourth Annual Report and Accounts of the Federation of Indian Export Organisations, New Delhi, for the year 1988-89, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts.

(ii) Review by Government on the working of the Federation.

(iii) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (i) above. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT. 1258/90 for (i) to (ii).

Statistical Report on the General Election to the Legislative Assemblies of Tamil Nadu, Mizoram and Nagaland and Bye-election to the Legislative Assemblies held in 1989.

THE MINISTER OF STEEL AND MINES WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTRY OF LAW AND JUSTICE (SHRI DINESH GOSWAMI): Madam, I lay on the Table a copy (in English and Hindi) of the Report on the General Election to the Legislative Assemblies of Tamil Nadu, Mizoram pnd Nagaland and Bye-election to the Legis-